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Robert Freeman
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APT Foundation, Inc.
1 Long Wharf Drive
Suite 321
New Haven, CT 06511

RE: Certificate of Need Determination; Report Number 09-31350-EXM
APT Foundation, Inc.
CON Exemption Request Pursuant to Section 17a-678, C.G.S.
Obtain a Chemical Maintenance Treatment License for facility in New Haven

Dear Mr. Freeman:

On April 7, 2009, the Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") received your request for an exemption from the Certificate of Need ("CON") process, pursuant to Section 17a-678 of the Connecticut General Statutes ("C.G.S."), to obtain a Chemical Maintenance Treatment License for a facility in New Haven.

Upon review of the information contained in the request, OHCA finds the following:

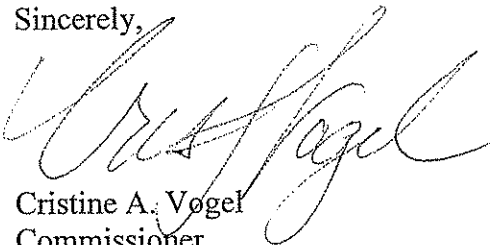
1. APT Foundation, Inc. ("APT") is a non-profit facility that provides chemical maintenance treatment at various locations in New Haven, Connecticut.
2. APT is proposing to provide chemical maintenance outpatient substance abuse treatment for adults at 1 Long Wharf Drive, Suite 10 in New Haven, Connecticut.
3. The Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services ("DMHAS"), in a letter received April 24, 2009, from Assistant Commissioner Paul J. Di Leo, MS, FACHE, grants an exemption under Section 17a-678, C.G.S. to allow APT Foundation, Inc. to obtain a license for the facility in the care or treatment of substance abusive or dependent persons-chemical maintenance treatment for adults at 1 Long Wharf Drive, Suite 10 in New Haven. The program will serve primarily the Region II area (Greater New Haven, Lower Naugatuck Valley, Middlesex County and the Meriden/Wallingford area).

4. DMHAS states that the chemical maintenance program to be located at 1 Long Wharf Drive in New Haven will serve clients having an opiate addiction. The proposed program will serve 500 unduplicated clients annually. APT is funded by DMHAS.
5. The capital expenditure associated with this proposal is \$50,000.

Based on the above findings, OHCA has determined that APT Foundation, Inc.'s request to establish a chemical maintenance treatment service for adults at 1 Long Wharf Drive in New Haven meets the exemption requirements of Section 17a-678 of the Connecticut General Statutes and, therefore, is exempt from OHCA's CON process. Termination of these services would require CON approval, pursuant to Section 19a-638, C.G.S.

Thank you for providing information to OHCA regarding this proposal. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Paolo Fiducia, Associate Health Care Analyst, Certification, Financial Analysis and Forecasting, at (860) 418-7001.

Sincerely,



Cristine A. Vogel
Commissioner

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